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SUBJ: EXTENSION OF DIPLOMAT PASSPORTS

REF: MANILA 1720, STATE 036316

1. MANILA 1720 AND THE DEA MANILA REGIONAL OFFICE LETTER FORWARDED WITH FS-299 BOTH REQUESTED AUTHORIZATION EXTEND RAINSBERGER DIPLOMATIC PASSPORTS FOR FOUR-YEAR PERIOD. HOWEVER, STATE 36316 ONLY AUTHORIZED EXTENSION UNTIL END OF 1976. MR. RAINSBERGER'S CURRENT TOUR IN MANILA IS UNTIL MAY 1978. HAVING A RESTRICTED PASSPORT IS A GREAT DISADVANTAGE IN HIS WORK, WHICH REQUIRES EXTENSIVE TRAVEL THROUGHOUT THE FAR EAST. INDONESIA AND AUSTRALIA WOULD ISSUE HIM VISAS GOOD ONLY FOR FOUR MONTHS BECAUSE OF IMPENDING EXPIRY OF PASSPORT AND ROC WOULD GIVE VISA VALID ONLY FOR ONE YEAR. IT IS INCONVENIENT TO HAVE TO GET NEW VISAS ALMOST EVERY TIME TRAVEL IS PLANNED.

2. CANNOT DEPT AUTHORIZE EXTENSION OF PPTS FOR LONGER TIME, PERHAPS AT LEAST UNTIL JUNE 1978, IF FOUR YEAR EXTENSION NOT POSSIBLE?

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